Major Peter JONES and Rev Richard JONES of Early Charles City County, are Related, there is No Evidence of Welsh Ancestry.

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Over the past century and indeed, for even longer countless articles and studies have explored the lives of these two men. One of the most recent, published in the VGS magazine in 2019, asserted that Peter JONES's origins were Welsh, drawing from YDNA testing and a sword. However, this paper presents new findings: YDNA evidence, including BIGY700 testing, demonstrates that Major Peter JONES and Rev Richard JONES are indeed related, supported by both genetic results and primary documentation. Crucially, the same advanced testing also provides no support for a Welsh origin. The precise nature of the relationship between Major Peter JONES and Rev Richard JONES, as well as the identities of their parents, remains unresolved. To advance further, we need more male descendants with the last name of Jones with primary-source-proven ties to these individuals to undergo BIGY700 testing at www.FamilyTreeDNA and join the Jones Surname Project.

To establish paternal relationships through YDNA testing, at least one participant must provide primary source documentation linking them to the ancestor under investigation. Within the Jones Surname Project at FamilyTreeDNA, there are currently two testers: one with complete primary source paperwork tracing their lineage to Peter JONES, and another with similar documentation connecting them to Rev Richard JONES. The testers descending from both Major Peter JONES and Rev Richard JONES have both tested at the BIGY700 level, the most advanced level of YDNA testing at this time.

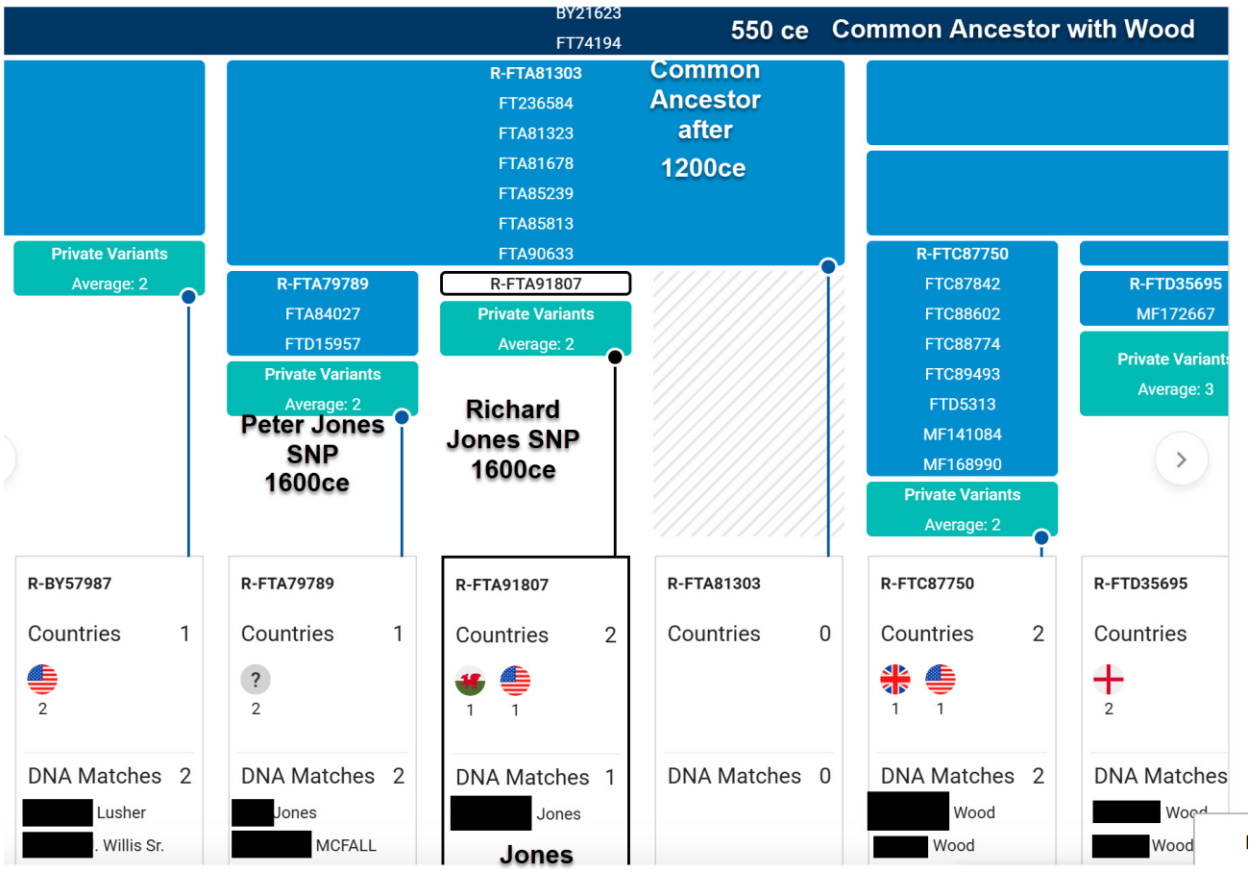
The lineage of the tester of Major Peter JONES is as follows and has tested at BIGY700 level:
Gen 2: His Son Peter JONES Jr (Captain) is named in Mother's Margaret MNU JONES COCKE's will.[1]
Gen 3: His son Peter JONES III is named in his Father's will.[2]
Gen 4: His son Thomas JONES is named in his Father's will.[3]
Gen 5: His son Frederick JONES is named in his Father's will[4]
Gen 6: His son Henry T JONES is named in his Uncle Peter JONES 1811 will and Peter states that Henry T JONES is his nephew and son of Frederick JONES[5]
Gen 7: His son Taylor "Levi" JONES is on the 1860 census with his father[6]
Gen 8: to present day: Has census, birth certificates etc. to verify the tester's identity. That information is private, but the authors certify its authenticity.

The line from Captain Richard JONES through generation 5 is proven by the Adventures of Purse and Person 4th Edition 4 Volumes and is accepted as proven by the Jamestown Society for Admission.[7]
The lineage of the tester of Rev Richard JONES is as follows and has tested at BIGY700 level:
Gen 2: His son Richard JONES (Capt.) proven by APP
Gen 3: His son Thomas JONES Abt 1689 proven by APP
Gen 4: His son Godfrey JONES Abt 1722 proven by APP
Gen 5: His son Thomas JONES Abt 1783 proven by APP
Gen 6: His son Jesse D JONES Oct 1828[8] proven by the divorce of his half-brother Benjamin W JONES[9]
For additional information for Jesse's relationship to his father Thomas and Thomas' to his father Godfrey refer to Appendix 1.
Gen 7: His son Thomas J JONES is on his father's 1870 census.[10]
Gen 8: His son William JONES is on his father's 1900 census and there is a Texas Death Certificate naming his parents. [11,12]
Gen 9: to present day: Has census, birth certificates etc. to verify the tester's identity. That information is private, but the authors certify its authenticity.

Having testers at the BIGY700 level is crucial because SNPs, unlike STRs, can be analyzed for their approximate age. To put it simply, STRs (Short Tandem Repeats) are short, repeating DNA sequences that can quickly gain or lose repeats through mutation. These mutations can go forward or backward, making it impossible to accurately determine when a change happened. On the other hand, SNPs (Single Nucleotide Polymorphisms) are rare changes at specific DNA points. Once a SNP occurs, it almost never reverts; mutations only happen in one direction. This one-way pattern makes SNPs much more stable and allows us to estimate their age and trace genetic lineages over time.[13]

The most recent Block Tree for Group 5 testers who represent both Peter and Richard JONES is shown below. We have included the estimated ages of the SNPs, as determined by FamilyTreeDNA[14]. In the center block, two testers share SNP R-FTA91807 and are descendants of Rev Richard JONES. The two testers in the block to the left descend from Major Peter JONES. With primary source documentation now available for both lines, it is certain that these two men had a common ancestor sometime after 1200ce. The next goal is to find testers that will "break" up the box with the seven SNPs so that the SNPs can be individually aged, will clarify when their common ancestor lived. For further details on the possible ancestors of Major Peter and Rev Richard JONES, please consult the publication

"*Abraham Wood and his Possible Connection to the Jones Family*" authored by the researchers.



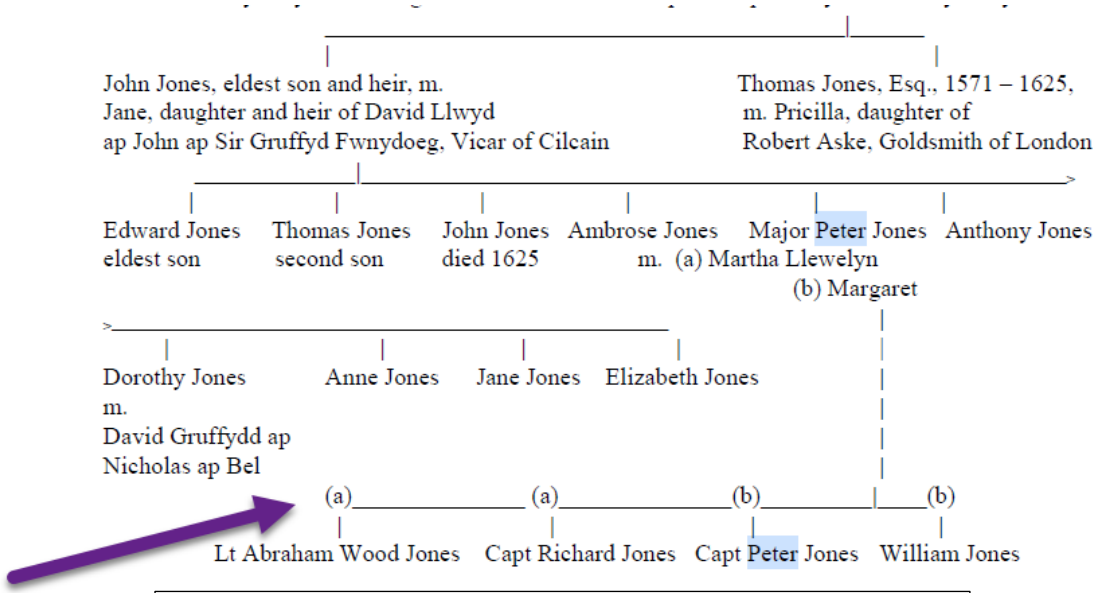
FTDNA Block Tree Jones R-Family Group 5

Next, we turn our attention to the article published in the Magazine of VA Genealogy, Volume 57 (February 2019), which asserts that Major Peter JONES had Welsh origins. Upon reviewing the above chart, it becomes clear that the closest related surnames to this Jones family—Lusher[15], Willis[16], and Wood[17] trace back even before the adoption of hereditary surnames, and none of these are Welsh in origin.

The authors also present the chart below from the article in the Magazine of VA Genealogy, Volume 57 (February 2019) in their discussion of Major Peter JONES's supposed connection to a Welsh family, but the chart contains inaccuracies regarding the names of Major Peter JONES's sons. According to the author, Major Peter JONES first married Martha LEWELLYN and later her sister, Margaret LEWELLYN, attributing the births of Abraham Wood JONES and Captain Richard JONES to Martha, and Capt. Peter JONES and William

JONES to Margaret. However, this claim is contradicted by the will of Margaret MNU JONES COCKE (widow of Peter JONES). In her will, Margaret specifically bequeaths a legacy to her grandson, Peter JONES, the son of her deceased son Abraham JONES. She also leaves legacies to her WYNN grandchildren, her son Peter JONES, and several godchildren, but notably omits any mention of Richard or William JONES.[18] While the current authors concur that William was indeed Margaret's son, they believe he predeceased his mother without leaving descendants.[19] Captain Richard JONES is also absent from Margaret's will, supporting the conclusions of both the "Adventures of Purse and Person" (4th Edition) and the Jamestown Society, which assert that Captain Richard JONES was the son of Rev. Richard JONES and Martha LEWELLYN. Furthermore, Margaret could not have been Martha LEWELLYN's sister, as Daniel LEWELLYN's 1666 will names his daughter as Margaret CRUES.[20]

The chronology further disputes the claim: Margaret LEWELLYN CRUES could not have been the mother of Abraham Wood JONES, who began importing individuals and obtaining land grants in 1683[21]. If Margaret LEWELLYN Cruse was his mother, Abraham would have been born no earlier than 1668 (since his mother did not have the last name of Jones in her father's 1666 will), making him only about fifteen years old when he started receiving land, at an age far below the typical threshold of twenty-one for managing such affairs.[22] Additionally, the 1683 land records refer to Abraham as Lieutenant Abraham JONES, casting further doubt on the likelihood of a fifteen-year-old holding such a title.[23]



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Another point of contention with this chart lies in the naming conventions of children. While naming patterns do not constitute primary documentation, they were nonetheless significant during that era. Notably, none of the children attributed to Major Peter JONES in this chart bear the names of his purported siblings or father. Given the prevalence of the name Peter JONES in both England and Wales during this period, it is not surprising that multiple individuals shared this name. Conducting Y-DNA testing on a descendant of one of the alleged siblings of Peter JONES, as depicted in the above chart, would provide valuable evidence to either confirm or refute the supposed familial connection. Based on the available evidence, the authors do not support the assertion that Major Peter JONES was of Welsh origin or that he belonged to this family.

Despite speculation about the Welsh origins of Major Peter JONES and Rev Richard JONES, recent comprehensive YDNA testing at the BIGY700 level, supported by primary-source-proven lineages, confirms that these two men are indeed related but provides no evidence of Welsh ancestry. The precise relationship between them, as well as the identities of their parents, remains unresolved. Analysis of genetic markers demonstrates that both lines share a common ancestor, yet the earliest associated surnames do not support a Welsh connection. The study underscores the importance of continued YDNA testing particularly from male Jones descendants with documented lineages to further clarify these ancestral lines. Additionally, documentary evidence and will records challenge previous assertions about the family structure and maternal lines, refuting claims of specific Welsh familial ties and highlighting errors in earlier published charts.

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Appendix 1

JESSE D JONES OF RUTHERFORD & WILSON COUNTIES, TENNESSEE - SON OF THOMAS JONES OF RUTHERFORD & WILSON COUNTIES, TENNESSEE

While there is no single primary source definitively naming Jesse, nor anyone else, as a son of this Thomas JONES (1783-1860); there is a preponderance of evidence to support this assertion. Jesse's Civil War pension application for service in Company E of the 1st Tennessee Cavalry – a company formed in Rutherford County- gives his birth as 1828 in Rutherford County, TN[24]. Our subject Thomas JONES was born about 1783 in Charlotte County, VA[25] and was living in Wilson County, TN from 1830 to 1860[26]. Thomas first married in VA in 1808[27] and is named in Charlotte County VA in the 1820 Census with his wife and family[28]. Also, he is listed in tax lists in that county as early as 1804 in proximity of his father and uncles[29]. His first wife died between 1820 and 1827 when Thomas married a woman named Sarah in Rutherford County, TN[30]. He then appears in the 1830 Wilson County, TN Census[31]. While those 1820 and 1830 reports do not name his sons, they do give insight into their numbers and relative ages. The Censuses of 1850 and 1860 establish his POB and relative DOB. They also place him in District 17 of Wilson County, a district that borders Rutherford County – living adjacent to the widow of his deceased brother David JONES Sr and several of their children and grandchildren[32]. The 1840 Census further demonstrates that proximity to family.

Divorce proceedings in 1849 Wilson County between Benjamin W JONES and his wife Elizabeth (Betsy) include depositions from Jesse JONES, Abner JONES and Albert JONES – among others[33]. Jesse JONES states that he is a "half-brother" to the defendant Benjamin; and Abner JONES states that he is a "brother" to Benjamin. These statements then mean that Jesse is a half-brother to defendant Benjamin as well. Later documents establish Benjamin was born in VA in 1823[34] and Abner was born in VA about 1821[35] while Jesse was 1828 in Rutherford, TN[36]. The 1820 Census indicates a wife born 1775-95 while the 1830 Tennessee Census does not show a female in the household of that age – supporting the theory of a 2nd wife in 1827[37]. The 1820 and 30 census show males of ages that are consistent with the known ages and POBs of Abner and Benjamin W JONES. Further, a male listed in the 1830 Census under the age of five is consistent with the known age and POB of Jesse. These facts also demonstrate the "half-brother" relationship between Jesse and Benjamin and a full brother relationship between Abner and Benjamin.

Benjamin W JONES and Elizabeth (Betsy) were married in December 1846[38]. The 1849 court deposition of Jesse went on to say that he spent about one third of his time visiting Benjamin and Betsy in 1847 and the balance at "his father's house"; and, further stating that Benjamin and his wife were often at his father's house. One of the other 1849 depositions was made by Albert JONES and his wife and stated that Benjamin and his wife lived with them in 1848 and detailed events that took place in their home. The 1846 Wilson County tax list for District 17 shows only Benjamin, Thomas, David Sr, and another David as Jones families[39]. The 1851 tax list shows only Thomas, David Jr, Albert, Henry E, Abner, and an unidentified C.W. JONES' in district 17[40]. David Jr and Albert were sons of David Sr who died before 1850, and Henry E was a son of David Jr.[41] These tax lists place Benjamin, half-brother of Jesse, in very close proximity to Thomas while the 1849 court documents place Benjamin and Jesse in very close proximity to their father. The court documents very strongly imply that Jesse, Benjamin, and Albert lived within walking distance of Jesse's father – given the frequency of family visits and interactions. The 1850 and 1860 Census documents, which are not sorted alphabetically, also demonstrate living next to each other.

The 1860 Wilson County Census shows Thomas with his wife Sarah living with his son Abner who was one of the witnesses in 1849 and a half-brother to Jesse D JONES[42]. The census taker erred when noting a change in families in those District 17 pages. Thomas was shown as the last member of a Lasiter family but immediately below his name was his wife Sarah and Abner with his children. Abner's wife had died prior to 1860, and he moved in with his father Thomas. Sarah in 1860 is consistent with Sarah, wife of Thomas, in the 1850 Census. In 1854 Henry E JONES, grandson of David JONES Sr, purchased property that is in District 17 on the waters of Bradley Creek and bordered by the property of Thomas JONES Sr.[43] The 1851 tax list names Thomas, David Jr, Albert, and Henry E as being in district 17 – reinforcing the theory of very close relationships.[44] A DAR application for the service of Godfrey JONES (A207640) by DAR member 735152 also documents Henry E JONES as a descendant of Godfrey, father of David JONES Sr.[45]

The Bradley Creek Baptist Church is in Rutherford County TN on the banks of that so named creek. The boundary to the referenced District 17 of Wilson County is less than one mile away and Bradley Creek runs through both Rutherford and Wilson Counties. The above referenced deed of 1854 names that creek as a landmark to identify the parcel being sold[46]. Other deeds related to the Jones names in the census and tax lists of Wilson County make similar reference to this creek. The minutes of that church include the names of David Sr, Richard, and Nathaniel JONES – brothers to Thomas JONES.[47] Further, Benjamin, Abner and Jesse JONES - sons of Thomas are included in those minutes.

When taking the 1849 testimony that explicitly establishes sibling relationships in conjunction with census reports, tax lists, deeds, church minutes, marriage records, DAR records and the fact they lived within walking distance of their father – you are compelled to look at all Jones males in District 17 at that time to identify that father. In the period 1840 to 1860, there were only four Jones households with a male old enough to be the father of Jesse D JONES. They were Thomas, David Sr, David Jr and Albert[48]. Albert is eliminated as he had no children born in the 1820s[49]. David Jr is eliminated as he had only one son born in the 1820s and that being Henry E JONES who is named as such in the referenced DAR application[50]. David Sr had no sons born as late as the 1820s[51]. This leaves only Thomas JONES especially with Abner, a known sibling of Jesse D JONES, living in the household of Thomas and his wife in 1860[52].

THE SONS OF GODFREY JONES OF CHARLOTTE COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Godfrey JONES who died 1818 in Charlotte County VA had seven sons, based on his Will[53], and all of them had left that county by 1825. Godfrey Jr is an unknown as he was last identified in the will[54]. Lewellyn, based on his Revolutionary War pension application returned to Charlotte after the war but moved on to Campbell County VA and died in 1821[55]. Cadwallender and Richard also served in the Revolutionary War and received pensions – their applications stating they too returned to Charlotte after the war but then each moved on to Rutherford County TN in the 1820s and then on to Wilson County TN[56]. Cadwallender's application included statements made by his brothers Richard and David Sr confirming his war service. Those depositions were made in Wilson County TN and stated they had been directly acquainted with him while in Charlotte[57]. Richard's application too had a statement from David Sr stating he was with Richard in Charlotte and while he had no memory of Richard leaving for the war, he did have personal memory and knowledge of his return to Charlotte after the war.[58] That deposition was made and signed in Rutherford County TN. There was also a statement from his brother Nathaniel on that pension application claiming direct knowledge while living in Charlotte as to Richard's service[59]. David JONES Sr is last identified in Charlotte on the 1822 tax list[60] and is in Rutherford County TN in 1824 swearing to the military service of his brother Richard[61]. David's eldest son Samuel is married in Wilson County TN in 1824[62]; and, in 1825 selling land in Charlotte that identifies him as being from Rutherford County TN[63]. Nathaniel was married in Charlotte in 1793[64] and is in the 1820 Census in Rutherford County TN[65] – and again making a sworn statement on the pension application of his brother Richard[66]. DAR

records for member 735152 confirm David Sr as a son of Godfrey and living in Wilson County, TN at the time of his death[67]. Further, during the 1820s and 30s David Sr, Nathaniel and Richard are all listed in the Minute Books of the Bradley Creek Baptist Church in Rutherford County TN[68]. The minutes regarding Richard JONES indicate he had been a member of a Baptist Church while living in VA. Thomas was the youngest son of Godfrey having been born in about 1783[69]. His first marriage was in 1808 to his niece Margaret JONES[70] – daughter of his brother Godrey Jr.[71] She died sometime after the 1820 Census in Charlotte but before 1827 when Thomas remarried to a woman named Sarah in 1827 Rutherford County TN[72]. He resided in Wilson County in 1830[73]. In the 1840, 50 and 60 Wilson County census reports; he is named living adjacent to – or very close to – his brother David Sr plus three of David's sons[74]. Also, his own son Abner lived in that neighborhood in 1850 and 60[75]. That southern portion of Wilson County was identified as District 17 and most of the family lived on property identified as being on Bradley Creek which runs through both Wilson and Rutherford Counties. Thomas states that he was born in VA in the census reports and his eldest sons, Abner and Benjamin state they too were born in VA[76]. Jesse D JONES, a younger son of Thomas, states in a Civil War pension application that he was born in 1828 Rutherford County TN[77].

It is not known what motivated the entire family to leave Charlotte County VA in the 1820s – shortly after the death of Godrey JONES Sr. It is however evident that virtually all the sons chose middle Tennessee as their new start in life and staying closely connected to each other until their own deaths in Tennessee.

[1] Will of Margaret COCKE found at Family Search at this weblink https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3QS7-99GY-B3V?view=fullText&keywords=Turpin&groupId=M9VV-DVN&lang=en

[2] Will of Peter JONES Jr (Captain) can be found at Family Search at this weblink https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3QS7-99PX-X4VN?view=fullText&keywords=John%20Jones&groupId=&lang=en

[3] Will Books, 1734-1865; General Indexes to Wills, 1734-1974; Author: Virginia. County Court (Amelia County); Probate Place: Amelia, Virginia

[4] The will of Thomas JONES can be found at this link at Family Search https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3QS7-99P4-XXQZ?view=fullText&keywords=Richard%20Jones%2CJones&lang=en&groupId=M9X2-S42

[5] Wills and Index, 1803-1917; Author: Tennessee County Court (Wilson County); Probate Place: Wilson, Tennessee.

[6] The National Archives in Washington D.C.; Record Group: Records of the Bureau of the Census; Record Group Number: 29; Series Number: M653; Residence Date: 1860; Home in 1860: Vineyard, Lawrence, Missouri; Roll: M653_628; Page: 864; Family History Library F.

[7] *Adventurers of Purse and Person, Virginia, 1607–1624/5*, 4th ed., 3 vols. (Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co., 2004–2007). Accepted by the Jamestowne Society as documentation of qualifying lineage.

[8] His birthdate can be found on his pension record at Family Search at this link https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3Q9M-C39J-M32G-M?view=fullText&keywords=Jones%2CD%2CJ%2CUnited%20States%2CTennessee%2CTENNESSEE&lang=en&groupId=

[9] Jesse D JONES gives a deposition in the court case in the divorce of Benjamin W JONES and states that Benjamin W is his half-brother. Also, in that court case Abner JONES gives a deposition stating that Benjamin W is his brother. In the 1850 Census Abner is living with Thomas JONES. The court case can be found at Family Search at this link https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3Q9M-CSBY-QQ9G-V?view=fullText&keywords=Jessey%20Jones%2CTennessee%2CWilson&lang=en&groupId= Please see Appendix 1 for a more detailed explanation proving this relationship.

[10] Year: 1870; Census Place: District 6, Rutherford, Tennessee; Roll: M593_1557; Page: 304B

[11] Year: 1900; Census Place: Justice Precinct 3, Fannin, Texas; Roll: 1633; Page: 11; Enumeration District: 0069

[12] Texas Department of State Health Services; Austin Texas, USA; Texas Death Certificates, 1903–1982

[13] Additional information can be found at www.help.familytreedna.com

[14] Aging of SNPs can be done at this website https://discover.familytreedna.com/

[15] Lusher Name Meaning, Family History, Family Crest & Coats of Arms, House of Names. https://www.houseofnames.com/lusher-family-crest

[16] Willis Surname Meaning, History & Origin, Select Surnames. https://selectsurnames.com/willis

[17] Wood Name Meaning, Family History, Family Crest & Coats of Arms, House of Names. https://www.houseofnames.com/wood-family-crest

[18] Will of Margaret COCKE found at Family Search at this weblink https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3QS7-99GY-B3V?view=fullText&keywords=Turpin&groupId=M9VV-DVN&lang=en

[19] Peter Jones returned acct. of William Jones' Estate (dec'd). Henrico County Order Bk, Vol. 5, pg 511. "Capt W. Randolph in charge of estate of William Jones, dec'd. April Court 1695". Colonial Wills of Henrico, Co; 1654-1737.

[20] The will of Daniel LEWELLYN can be found at Family Search at this link https://www.wikitree.com/photo.php/f/f4/Llewellyn-64.pdf

[21] The land grants can be found at Family Search at this link https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3QS7-99GY-B5F?view=fullText&keywords=Jones%2CAbraham&groupId=M9VV-DVK&lang=en
[22] Warren M. Billings, The Old Dominion in the Seventeenth Century: A Documentary History of Virginia, 1606–1689 (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press, 1975), 58–61.
[23] Ibid.
[24] FamilySearch.org; Tennessee, United States Records; Soldiers Pension Applications: Tennessee. Military Pension Records 1904–1910; J D JONES; Film # 008478256 – Images 235 of 819 et seq.
[25] 1860 U.S. Census - Wilson Co TN District 17; Thomas JONES; Ancestry.com Image 14 of 26 line 5 et seq.
[26] Ibid.
[27] FamilySearch.org: Charlotte Co, VA Marriage Bonds (Abstracts) 1765-1815; 1808 Thomas JONES – Margaret JONES; Film # 007738452 Image 532 of 660
[28] 1820 U.S. Census - Charlotte Co VA; Thomas JONES; Ancestry.com Image 15 of 31.
[29] 1804 Tax Charlotte Co VA: Thomas JONES; FamilySearch.org - Film # 007849098 Item 23 image 7 of 34.
[30] Tennessee, U.S., Marriage Records, 1780-2002, Rutherford 1804-1881: Marriage Books; Thomas JONES – Sarah JONES; Ancestry.com Image 139 of 971.
[31] 1830 U.S. Census - Wilson Co TN; Thomas JONES; Ancestry.com Image 57 of 188.
[32] 1850 U.S. Census - Wilson Co TN District 17; Thomas JONES; Ancestry.com Image 15 of 27.
[33] Jesse D JONES 1849 deposition in court case in the divorce of Benjamin W JONES; https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3Q9M-CSBY-QQ9G-V?view=fullText&keywords=Jessey%20Jones%2CTennessee%2CWilson&lang=en&groupId=
[34] 1860 U.S. Census - Wilson Co TN District 1; Benj JONES; Ancestry.com image 13 of 19.
[35] 1860 U.S. Census - Wilson Co TN District 17; Thomas JONES; Ancestry.com Image 14 of 26 line 5 et seq.
[36] FamilySearch.org; Tennessee, United States Records; Soldiers Pension Applications: Tennessee. Military Pension Records 1904–1910; J D JONES; Film # 008478256 – Images 235 of 819 et seq.
[37] 1830 U.S. Census - Wilson Co TN; Thomas JONES; Ancestry.com Image 57 of 188.
[38] Tennessee State Library and Archives; Nashville, TN, USA; Tennessee State Marriages, 1780-2002.
[39] FamilySearch.org: 1846 Tax List - Wilson Co TN: Film # 007895987 image 284 of 570.
[40] FamilySearch.org: 1851 Tax List - Wilson Co TN: Film # 007895987 image 481 of 570.
[41] DAR - Descendants Search: Member 735152 re Patriot Godfrey JONES, https://services.dar.org/Public/DAR_Research/search_descendants/?action=list&MyPrimary_Seqn=1137007&MyLineageCount=1
[42] 1860 U.S. Census - Wilson Co TN District 17; Thomas JONES; Ancestry.com Image 14 of 26 line 5 et seq.
[43] Deed Book B-2 Wilson Co TN, pages 34-34, 1854 - 55; Henry E JONES.
[44] FamilySearch.org: 1851 Tax List - Wilson Co TN: Film # 007895987 image 481 of 570.
[45] DAR - Descendants Search: Member 735152 re Patriot Godfrey JONES, https://services.dar.org/Public/DAR_Research/search_descendants/?action=list&MyPrimary_Seqn=1137007&MyLineageCount=1
[46] Deed Book B-2 Wilson Co TN, pages 34-34, 1854 - 55; Henry E JONES.
[47] TN State Lib & Archives; Bradley Creek Baptist Church Record Books (1819-1904); T E Ellison; Microfilm No 1469.
[48] 1850 U.S. Census - Wilson Co TN District 17; All images 1 through 27; and 1860 U.S. Census - Wilson Co TN District 17; All images 1 through 26.
[49] 1840 U.S. Census - Wilson Co TN; Albert JONES; Ancestry.com Image 45 of 232.
[50] 1830 U.S. Census - Wilson Co TN; David JONES Jr; Ancestry.com Image 101 of 188.
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[57] Ibid.
[58] FamilySearch.org; Rutherford TN County Court Records 1820-1824, Minute Book S, pages 88-89; Richard JONES; Film # 008688091 Image 700 of 1035 et seq.
[59] Ibid.
[60] FamilySearch.org: Charlotte Co VA; 1822 Tax List; https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3Q9M-CSQ2-MTCB?i=541&cat=775843
[61] FamilySearch.org; Rutherford TN County Court Records 1820-1824, Minute Book S, pages 88-89; Richard JONES; Film # 008688091 Image 700 of 1035.
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[63] FamilySearch.org: Charlotte Co VA - Deed Book 17, page 115, 1825; Samuel JONES.
[64] Ancestry.com: Virginia, U.S., Select Marriages, 1785-1940; Charlotte VA; Nathaniel JONES.
[65] 1820 U.S. Census - Murfreesboro, Rutherford, Tennessee; Page: 179; NARA Roll: M33_124; Image: 109.
[66] FamilySearch.org; Rutherford TN County Court Records 1820-1824, Minute Book S, pages 88-89; Richard JONES; Film # 008688091 Image 700 of 1035.
[67] DAR - Descendants Search: Member 735152 re Patriot Godfrey JONES, https://services.dar.org/Public/DAR_Research/search_descendants/?action=list&MyPrimary_Seqn=1137007&MyLineageCount=1
[68] TN State Lib & Archives; Bradley Creek Baptist Church Record Books (1819-1904); T E Ellison; Microfilm No 1469.
[69] 1860 U.S. Census - Wilson Co TN District 17; Thomas JONES; Ancestry.com Image 14 of 2 line 5 et seq.
[70] FamilySearch.org: Charlotte Co, VA Marriage Bonds (Abstracts) 1765-1815; 1808 Thomas JONES – Margaret JONES; Film # 007738452 Image 532 of 660.
[71] Ibid.
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